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## **CITY OF SANTA BARBARA**

## **COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT**

**AGENDA DATE:** August 11, 2009

**TO:** Mayor and Councilmembers

**FROM:** Administration Division, Finance Department

SUBJECT: Community Promotion Contract For The Santa Barbara Region

Chamber Of Commerce To Support Operation Of The Visitor

Information Center

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

That Council authorize the Finance Director to execute a Community Promotion contract with the Santa Barbara Region Chamber of Commerce in an amount of \$54,495 to support year-round expenses of the Visitor Information Center.

## DISCUSSION:

The Fiscal Year 2010 Budget includes \$54,495 in the General Fund Community Promotion Program for the Santa Barbara Region Chamber of Commerce to operate a Visitor Information Center. This contract will help support year-round salary and benefit expenses, telephone services and office supplies. The term of the contract commences on August 1, 2009 and terminates on July 31, 2010.

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**SUBMITTED BY:** Robert D. Peirson, Finance Director

**APPROVED BY:** City Administrator's Office